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INTRODUCTION

The National Archives has been collecting still pictures since shortly after its establishment in 1934. There are now more than 5 million still picture items in the Audiovisual Archives Division, including artworks, photographs of artworks, posters, and photographs dating from the 17th century to the present. In addition to documenting activities of 125 Federal agencies, they illustrate the social, economic, cultural, political, and diplomatic history of America from the earliest colonial times to the present and many aspects of life in other parts of the world.

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STILL PICTURES

Records of the United States Housing Corporation.

RG 3

1918-20. 1,998 items.

Photographs and architectural drawings of grading plans, street layouts, maps, house plans, housing construction in all stages, and finished projects. Photographs of bad housing conditions. Posters used in a war housing promotional campaign in Washington, D.C.

An album entitled "Progress Report of the Transportation Division," 1918.

Photographs of dining facilities at a factory at Saint Etienne, Loire, France; and architectural drawings of rural dwellings in three regions of France.

Records of the United States Food Administration.

RG 4

1917-20. 3.550 items.

Photographs of Food Administration personnel, exhibits, and conservation activities. Lantern slides and photographs used in pledge card campaigns to illustrate lectures on food conservation and on food shortages in Europe. Photographs concerning the sugar industry. Posters used in conservation campaigns. Membership and violation notices, and notices to employees.

Photographs of English food posters and conservation paintings. Foreign, Army, and war garden photographs. Photographs of war activities and warworkers. Commercial, conservation, French, Liberty loan, recruiting, war savings stamp, and warwork posters issued by several organizations.

Records of the United States Grain Corporation.

RG 5

1919. 20 items.

Photographs of the Hamburg office and staff and of the Berlin office and staff of the Food Administration Grain Corporation in Germany.

Records of the Bureau of Entomology and Plant Quarantine.

RG 7

1870-1946. 2.825 items.

Portrait photographs, some of artworks dating from the 1700's, and group photographs of American and foreign personalities in the natural sciences, with particular emphasis on entomologists of the Department of Agriculture, 1870-1946, assembled or made by Leland O. Howard.

Records of the Bureau of Agricultural Engineering.

RG 8

1913-38. 4,000 items.

Photographs of machinery used in dam construction, of methods of drainage, of land usage, and of erosion control.

General Records of the United States Government.

RG 11

1909. 5 items.

Photographs of the naturalization convention of July 22, 1909, between the United States and Paraguay, Unperfected Treaty 2-11.



RG 15

Records of the Veterans Administration.

1861-1960. 1,677 items.

Photographs of Commissioners of the Pension Office, 1861-1925. Photographs pertaining to the rehabilitation program of the Federal Board for Vocational Education, 1918-28, and VA rehabilitation activities, 1945-60. Photographs of VA facilities and construction projects, including plans and basic architectural drawings for some hospitals, 1932-60. Photographs of the Pension Building, 1883-85. Photographs of a Liberty loan mass meeting in Washington, D.C., 1917. A color lithograph of the Volunteer Refreshment Saloon in Philadelphia, ca. 1861.

Records of the Office of the Secretary of Agriculture.

RG 16

1886-1959. 23,382 items.

Photographs from the "historical" file accumulated and maintained by the Office of Information of the Department during the period 1900-1959, selected from files made or collected by the Extension Service, Forest Service, Rural Electrification Administration, Biological Survey, Bureau of Entomology, Federal Crop Insurance Corporation, Agricultural Adjustment Administration, and other units of the Department. The Frank Lamson-Scribner collection of photographs of exhibits and plantlife, 1901-36.

The Edwin F. Smith collection of portrait photographs of scientists, 1886-1925.

Photographs used by the press section of the Office of Information of agricultural research activities, Government buildings, and scenes in and around Washington, D.C., 1899-1938. Hand-colored lantern slides of the halls, buildings, streets, statuary, and exhibits of the Department of Agriculture at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition, San Francisco, 1915.

Records of the Army Air Forces.

RG 18

1901-64. 446.920 items.

Photographs of aviation activities in World War I made by the Signal Corps under the direction of Maj. Edward Steichen.

The Erickson collection of photographs of early aircraft developed by Glenn H. Curtiss and Glenn L. Martin and activities of the joint Army and Navy aviation school at Rockwell Field, Calif., 1913-23.

Photographs documenting the development of military aviation, 1903-46. Photographs of Army balloon equipment and schools, 1917-19.

Portraits of fliers assigned to McCook and Wright Fields and others important in aviation history, 1918-27. Flight personnel identification photographs, 1911-45, portrait photographs of cadets in training at airbases, 1941-45, portrait photographs of Air Force personnel in active status, 1944-45, and passport photographs made for the Adjutant General's Office, 1942-44.

Photographs made or collected by the Wright Air Development Center showing foreign and domestic aircraft and projects of the Wright Field Engineering Division, 1901-58. Photographs made or collected at Scott Field, Ill., showing the development of the field, parachute experimentation,



helium repurification, record flights, accident studies, floods, towns, and airports in Illinois, Kentucky, Michigan, Missouri, Indiana, Florida, and Wisconsin, 1923-39. Photographs of the construction of buildings and facilities, 1928-34, and of flight operational activities, 1923-34, at March Field, Calif. Photographs made at Rockwell Field, Calif., of parachute jumps, record flights, and airplane crashes, 1928-34.

Photographs from Langley Air Force Base of civil and military installations in 23 States and the District of Columbia, 1932-42, including a few made at earlier dates, such as the <u>Graf Zeppelin</u> over Oakland, Calif., 1929, and the 1925 earthquake in Santa Barbara, Calif.

Photographs illustrating activities at Air Transport Command bases and showing physical features for guiding pilots along military air routes from South America to Africa and Asia, 1943-45.

Aerial photographs of prominent geographical features such as mountain ranges, rivers, and valleys; of flood, hurricane, earthquake, and other disaster areas; of national parks; of historic sites; and of other countries, 1917-64.

Photographs of logging and other activities of the Spruce Production Corporation, 1917-22.

Photographs of German military activities, 1941-45.

Records of the Bureau of Ships.

RG 19

ca. 1855-1946. 148,181 items.

Photographs, some of artworks, of historic sailing ships, ca. 1799-1922. Photographs of models of ships, including some American clippers, 1825-1939. Photographs of commercial ships, some foreign made, that were commissioned into the U.S. Navy, 1900-1944. Photographs of the Atlantic Fleet on review,

Photographs, some of artworks, of events in naval history, 1789-1946, and of naval personnel, 1776-1941.

Photographs, some of artworks, of ship identification silhouettes, construction, launchings, damage, wrecks, salvage, scrapping, and camouflage, 1789-1946. Photographs of ship fittings, including figureheads and ornaments, boilers and accessories, steam turbines, engines, gun mounts, and diagrams of radios and machinery, 1863-1942.

Photographs of naval installations, including the New York Naval Shipyard buildings and quarters, drydocks, ammunition depots, and radio and communications stations and equipment in the United States and abroad, 1905-30. Photographs of mockups of designs submitted by private firms, 1941-46.

Photographs of foreign ships, including British naval vessels, 1863-1945; Samoa, 1904; and the harbor and defenses of Gibraltar, 1922.



Records of District Courts of the United States.

RG 21

1898-1936. 4 items.

Photographs of personalities of the courts and a group portrait of Supreme Court members.

Records of the Fish and Wildlife Service.

RG 22

1870-1960. 52,744 items. Photographs illustrating the fish, oyster, and shrimp industries,

1891-92, in the Chesapeake Bay and Virginia Beach area; the Roanoke River in North Carolina; the Gulf of Mexico, including Louisiana and Florida; the West Coast; and Lake Superior, including Michigan and Minnesota.

Photographs relating to various voyages of Fish Commission ships including a cruise of the Albatross to North and South America, 1887-91, a cruise to Alaska and the Pribilof, Aleutian, and Commander Islands, 1892-93, a cruise to the South Sea Islands, 1899-1900, and a cruise to Hawaii, 1902.

Photographs of paintings by Henry W. Elliot, 1872-90, and photographs, 1892-95, illustrating the fur seal and sea otter industries and of seal rookeries, made for the Treasury Department in connection with a survey of the industries and the danger of extinction of the two species.

U.S. Fish Commission photographs of seal rookeries in the Pribilof Islands, 1893-97. Photographs of ports in Washington and Oregon States and in Alaska, ca. 1890-1905. Hand-colored stereoscopic photographs of game birds, beaver, and ermine, 1870.

Forty albums of blueprint copies made from negatives collected by the U.S. Fish Commission, ca. 1887-1922, covering such subjects as fish from hatchery spawning to marketing; fish wharves, boats, nets, other equipment, and various species of fish; local and foreign fishermen; seals and their environment in Alaska; lakes, ponds, rivers, and city and community scenes in South America, Alaska, Mexico, and the United

Bureau of Fisheries photographs of marine life, 1904-18, of the coastal and inland areas of Kiska Harbor, Alaska, 1904, of sturgeon fish, ca. 1904, of sponges, ca. 1908, of interior views of a fish hatchery in Washington, D.C., of the U.S. Fish Commission steamer Albatross, ca. 1910, of equipment used in the pearl button industry in Iowa, ca. 1910, and of foreign and domestic fishing boats, 1911.

Still pictures from the Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife and its predecessor agency, the Biological Survey, including photographs of birds, mammals, reptiles, persons, plants, refuges, and maps and topographical features, 1888-1960. Photographs of wildlife by Francis Harper, 1917-20. Photographs and original drawings used in agency publications such as North American Fauna, Service Survey, Wildlife Review, Department of Agriculture Yearbook, Biological Survey Bulletin, Conservation Bulletin, Farmers' Bulletin, Journal of Agricultural Research, technical bulletins, posters, leaflets, directories, annual reports, and miscellaneous circulars and publications, 1888-1959. Photographs of Alaskan wildlife, 1927-40.



Records of the Coast and Geodetic Survey.

RG 23

n.d. Il items.

Photographs and drawings from the papers of Henry L. Whiting, a former assistant in the Coast and Geodetic Survey, of several Hudson River points, dredging activities, and dredging machinery.

Records of the Bureau of Naval Personnel. 1799-1945. 11,409 items.

RG 24

Photographs of Navy and Marine Corps personnel, including commissioned, noncommissioned, and Reserve officers; civilian employees; officers and enlisted men and their families; and commended or dead enlisted men of World War I, 1904-38.

Photographs and artworks from the Chaplains Division of religious facilities and activities, and portraits of chaplains, 1799-1945.

Photographs of Bureau of Navigation activities and of designs of medals and awards, 1892-1935.

Photographs of the Spanish Navy and of damage to Spanish ships, 1895-98.

Photographs of the NC-4 and her crew after the transatlantic flight, 1919.

Photographs and lantern slides used at the Navy Recruiting Bureau in New York City, 1917-26.

Records of the United States Coast Guard.

RG 26

1852-1963. 41,246 items.

Photographs of the types of ships and boats used by the Coast Guard and its predecessor agencies, the Revenue Cutter Service and the Life Saving Service, including the cutter Bear and her officers, the Coast Guard destroyer force loaned by the Navy during prohibition, and captured rumrunners, 1886-1960. Photographs of admirals and Commandants of the Coast Guard, 1843-1960. Photographs, 1886-1947, relating to Coast Guard peacetime activities depicting training, port security duties, firefighting, lifesaving, radio equipment use and maintenance, icebreaking, weather observation, supervision of the fishing and whaling industries, gunnery, aviation, and Adm. Richard E. Byrd's Antarctic expedition of 1946-47. Photographs illustrating activities of the Coast Guard and its predecessors in the War of 1812, the Mexican War, the Spanish-American War, and World Wars I and II.

Photographs, plans, paintings, and drawings of lighthouses, lights, fog signals, lighthouse tenders, lightships, personnel, and flood relief work of the Lighthouse Service, 1852-1945.

Photographs of commissioned officers of the Coast Guard and the Revenue Cutter Service, 1860-1945.

Photographs illustrating the history of the Bureau of Marine Inspection



and Navigation and photographs of activities and vessels of the Steamboat Inspection Service, ca. 1938.

Photographs of Maritime Service training stations, enrollees, and station personnel, 1938-41, and of activities of the Service and the SPARS, 1930-45.

Photographs of Allied and neutral vessels entering San Francisco Bay, 1937-43, and of Japanese merchant vessels, 1937-41.

Records of the Weather Bureau.

RG 27

1871-1950. 16,161 items.

Photographs depicting activities, projects, personnel, facilities, and meteorological instruments and apparatus of the Bureau, 1871-1945. Photographs of natural disasters, cloud formations, and freakish atmospheric conditions, 1871-1945.

Photographs of the Philippine rehabilitation project, 1947-50.

Records of the Post Office Department.

RG 28

1920-52. 903 items.

Photographs relating to the airmail service of airmail and airline pilots and others, including Charles A. Lindbergh and Amelia Earhart, 1921-48; airmail planes, 1924-30; airports and mail facilities, 1920-40; the Pan American Airline Service, 1927-35; accidents, 1922-30; and exhibits and trophies, ca. 1922. Photographs of post office ships, 1940-52.

Records of the Bureau of the Census.

RG 29

1890-1930. 67 items.

Photographs relating to the Navaho Indian enumeration, 1930.

Photographs of tabulating machinery, 1890-1910.

Records of the Bureau of Public Roads.

RG 30

1900-1963. 40.650 items.

Photographs illustrating the evolution of transportation, 312 B.C.-A.D. 1952. Photographs of highways and modes of transportation in the United States and many other parts of the world, 1900-1963, and of the building of the Mount Vernon Memorial Highway, 1928-52.

Records of the United States Shipping Board.

RG 32

1917-30. 39,900 items.

Photographs of members of the Shipping Board, trustees, and other officials of the Board and the Emergency Fleet Corporation and of district offices of the Foard, 1917-19; and showing storage conditions of Board records in the Gulf District, ca. 1919.

Photographs of shipyards, shipbuilding activities, and housing project construction, 1917-20; of fuel oil installations in Honolulu, Hawaii, 1920; and of the fender system of the James River Bridge, n.d.



Photographs of merchant marine training and apprenticeship, ca. 1918.

Photographs used as illustrations in the Merchant Marine Bulletin, 1920-30.

Photographs of statistical tabulations and graphs, 1917-19.

Publicity scenes on board United States Lines ships, 1925-28; and photographs, some of interiors, of SS America, ca. 1919, SS President Hoover, 1925, SS Manhattan, 1925, SS Republic, n.d., and SS President Roosevelt, n.d.

Records of the Federal Extension Service.

RG 33

1906-42. 5,000 items.

Photographs illustrating rural life and farm activities in all States of the Union.

Records of the Civilian Conservation Corps.

RG 35

1933-43. 10,850 items.

Photographs of the Office of the Director of the Corps, of camp facilities, of dams and recreation facilities begun in the Tennessee Valley Authority area, and of totem poles restored by Indian enrollees in the Tongass National Forest, Alaska.

Photographs of activities in the nine Army Corps areas and in individual companies, including conservation work, civilian defense training, academic and vocational programs, sightseeing in Washington, D.C., and religious services for Corps personnel and local residents in Kentucky.

Records of the Bureau of Customs.

RG 36

1875-1910. 77 items.

Photographs of special agents and other employees of the Bureau.

Records of the Hydrographic Office.

RG 37

1877-1937. 181 items.

Panoramas of the coast of Lower California taken by the U.S.S. Ranger, 1889-90; and photographs of lighthouses, lightships, and harbors in Uruguay; Japan; the Bay of Matanzas, Cuba; and Pago Pago, Samoa, 1877-1937.

Records of the Office of the Chief of Naval Operations.

RG 38

1891-1946. 8,660 items.

Photographs made or collected by the Office of Naval Intelligence of armor tests at Indian Head, Md., 1891-92; the defenses of Valparaiso, Chile, 1897; Veracruz and Tampico, Mexico, 1914; military fortifications in the United States, 1918-23; the naval training station at Newport, R.I., 1918; captured German submarines, 1918; Italian seaports, ca. 1920; an aerial mosaic of Nanking, China, 1929; and undated photographs of coastal formations of Japanese mandated islands (the Marshall, Caroline, and Mariana Islands), medals and service ribbons, Haiti, construction of the Kaiser Wilhelm II at Bremen, Germany, and maps of Russia.



Photographs of foreign and domestic aircraft, 1917-40, and of experimental aircraft, 1918-26.

Photographs of U.S. naval personnel of the World War I period.

Studio portrait photographs of Allied leaders, 1942-46, made for the Bureau by Comdr. Maurice Constant.

Photographs illustrating naval training, 1941-45.

Photographs made by the Fleet Operational Readiness Section of mine warfare techniques, 1944, and of ship and harbor protective netting, 1941-45.

Photographs pertaining to naval logistics, 1941-45.

General Records of the Department of Commerce. 1926-29. 125 items.

RG 40

Photographs of departmental exhibits, 1926 and 1929. Photographs of buildings and office space occupied by the Department and of seals of Department bureaus and services.

Records of the Bureau of Marine Inspection and Navigation.

RG 41

1884-1938. 411 items.

Photographs of Commissioners of the Bureau and its predecessor agencies, the Bureau of Navigation and the Steamboat Inspection Service, 1884-1938.

Photographs relating to the recruitment of merchant seamen during World War I and of officials, marine officers, and instructors, 1917-19.

Records of the Office of Public Buildings and Grounds.

RG 42

1877-1934. 921 items.

Photographs of statues, memorials, monuments, parks, and buildings, mostly in Washington, D.C., including the Woodrow Wilson and 14th Street Bridges; the Navy Department Building, 1884; the old State, War, and Navy Building, 1907-12; the interior of the Library of Congress, n.d.; the Washington Monument, 1879-1934; construction of the Arlington Memorial Bridge, 1926-33; construction of the Lincoln memorial statue, n.d.; models of the Grant memorial statue, n.d.; the memorial to the women of the World War (American Red Cross), 1929-31; White House china, 1917; and White House reconstruction, 1927.

Photographs of members of the Grant Memorial Commission, n.d.; of President Woodrow Wilson with Gen. John J. Pershing, Gen. Leonard Wood, Franklin D. Roosevelt, Josephus Daniels, and Joseph Fenwick at a cavalry review in Potomac Park, Washington, D.C., n.d.; and of other groups, 1877-1932.

Photographs of the Pasadena, Calif., stadium and plans, n.d.; of Paris, n.d.; and of maps of areas in Europe, ca. 1918.



Photographs, 1860-1900, of officers of the Washington National Monument Society, a private organization established in 1830.

Records of International Conferences, Commissions, and Expositions.

1888-1934. 1,596 items.

Photographs of Intercontinental Railway Commission surveys of Central and South America, 1890-99.

Photographs of triangulation stations in the upper Niagara River area, ca. 1910.

Photographs of U.S. exhibits at the Centennial International Exposition at Melbourne, Australia, 1888-90; at the Universal Exposition at Antwerp, Belgium, 1894; at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition at St. Louis, 1904; at the Sesquicentennial International Exposition at Philadelphia, 1926; at the International Colonial and Overseas Exposition at Paris, 1931-32; and at the Chicago World's Fair Centennial Celebration, 1933-34.

Records of the Office of Government Reports. 1942-45. 14,150 items.

RG 44

Posters and photographs of posters assembled and distributed by the Division of Public Inquiries, Office of War Information, relating to all domestic campaigns and programs. Photographs of news maps indicating the progress of the war. Posters produced in the United States by foreign information offices and war relief associations for distribution in this country.

Records of the Office of the Secretary of the Interior.

RG 48

1853-1964. 2,318 items.

Photographs relating to the construction of buildings in the District of Columbia, 1878-1907.

Portrait and group photographs and a few charcoal drawings of Assistant Secretaries of the Interior, 1862-1933.

Photographs of lithographs resulting from the Pacific Railroad Expedition and surveys of the 41st parallel, 1853-60.

Photographs accompanying reports of territorial Governors, 1893-1909; of the Prescott Forest Reserve, Ariz., ca. 1900; of the Great United Verde Mine, Jerome, Ariz., and Prescott, ca. 1900; of plans for a sewerage system in Hawaii, 1901; and of buildings in Muskogee and Tulsa, Okla., n.d.

Photographs of national parks in the Western States and territories, 1875-1919.

Miscellaneous photographs used in reports, ca. 1880-ca.1935; of departmental personnel, including Zachariah Chandler, Secretary of the Interior from 1875 to 1877, n.d., John Wesley Powell, n.d., and Charles D. Walcett, 1907; a composite photograph of the original boundary stones of the District of Columbia, 1908; of damage to the U.S. Capitol accompanying



a report of the Architect of the Capitol, 1899; of the U.S.S. Maine and her captain; of the SS George Loomis; of Governors of the Five Civilized Tribes, 1863-1919; of pueblo artist Marie Chiwiwi, n.d.; of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, St. Louis, 1904; of the Agricultural Fair, Alaska, 1918; of earthquake damage in Alaska, 1964; of exhibits at the Milwackee Public Museum, ca. 1900; of oilfields and a refinery in the Los Angeles Basin, 1927; and of an ancient Latin tract, evidently relating to oil strata.

Records of the Bureau of Land Management.

RG 49

1893 and 1914. 100 items.

Photographs from the records of the General Land Office of the opening of the Cherokee Strip, Oklahoma Territory, 1893, and relating to the ecologic survey of Ferry Lake, Caddo Parish, La., 1914.

Records of the Bureau of the Budget.

RG 51

1921-61. 23 items.

Portrait photographs of former Directors and other high officials of the Bureau.

Records of the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery.

RG 52

1900-1944. 1,115 items.

Photographs of Navy Hospital Corps schools at Norfolk, Va., and Washington, D.C., 1900-1910. Photographs of Navy hospital construction at Portsmouth, Va., and gas warfare equipment and first aid, 1918-19. Photographs of facilities and treatment at Navy hospitals in Normandy, France, and southern England, 1944.

Records of the Bureau of the Public Debt.

RG 53

1917-19. 483 items.

Posters, charcoal and pen and ink drawings, watercolor and oil paintings, and photographs of artworks used in Liberty loan campaigns by the War Loan Organization of the Department of the Treasury. Photographs of screen stars and other prominent persons participating in the campaigns.

Records of the Bureau of Plant Industry, Soils, and Agricultural

RG 54

Engineering.

1884-1951. 63,995 items.

Photographs from the Office of Horticultural and Pomological Investigations illustrating its activities, including projects in design for ornamenting Federal installations; work at plant research installations; and the cultivation, improvement, handling, transportation, marketing, and preservation of fruits, vegetables, and ornamental plants in the United States and in foreign countries, 1884-1941.

Photographs from the Office of Tobacco Investigations illustrating foreign and domestic aspects of tobacco culture and improvement, 1902-41.



Photographs from the Office of Corn Investigations and its successor, the Division of Cereal Crops and Diseases, illustrating cereal crop culture and improvement, marketing, storage, processing, and the like, 1892-1925.

Photographs made or collected by the Division of Rubber Investigations illustrating the Bureau's activities with guayule and other rubber-bearing plants, hemp substitutes, and hevea rubber trees in 14 Central and South American countries, 1942-48, along with photographs showing native life and living conditions and prominent persons visiting the plantations, including Vice President Henry A. Wallace and President Calderon Guardia of Costa Rica.

Photographs made or collected by the arm Power and Machinery Division showing sugar beet farming machinery and operations in Colorado and California, 1931-51; and sweet potato harvesting machinery, 1947-50.

Stereoscopic slides of parks and the Panama Pacific Exposition, 1913-16.

Records of the Government of the Virgin Islands. 1934-41. 300 items.

RG 55

Photographs of Federal projects sponsored by the Civil Works Administration, the Public Works Administration, the Work Projects Administration, the Civilian Conservation Corps, and the government of the Virgin Islands related to improvements in housing, public buildings, parks,

General Records of the Department of the Treasury.

RG 56

1804-1918. 372 items.

and roads.

Photographs illustrating the history and activities of the Department and several of its administrative units, including the Bureau-of Engraving and Printing, the Life Saving Service, and the Revenue Cutter Service, 1804-1918. And of Indian delegates, members of the Chickasaw, Creek, Silitz, Seminole, Modoc, Cherokee, and Klamath Tribes, to Washington, D.C., 1875.

Records of the Geological Survey.

RG 57

1868-90. 6.098 items.

Photographs taken by William II. Jackson and drawings made by Henry W. Elliott of the Yellowstone, the Grand Tetons, and adjacent areas for the U.S. Geological and Geographical Survey of the Territories directed by Ferdinand V. Hayden, 1869-83. Photographs taken by E. O. Beaman, J. Fennemore, and John K. Hillers of the Colorado River and adjacent areas for the Geographical and Geological Survey of the Rocky Mountain Region led by John Wesley Powell, 1871-78. Photographs of the Colorado River and its tributaries made for the Robert Stanton survey for a railroad route from the Colorado coalfields to the Pacific coast, 1889-90.

Photographs made by Hillers and others of earthquake damage in the Charleston, S.C., area, August 1886; of geological formations in North Carolina, Georgia, Tennessee, New York, Florida, California, and along the Potomac River, 1878-86.



General Records of the Department of State.

RG 59

1774-1955. 14,064 items.

Engraved portraits of colonial legislators and members of conventions, the Continental Congress, and the Congress of Confederation, including signers of the Declaration of Independence, the Articles of Confederation, and the Constitution, 1774-89.

Charcoal copies of paintings, lithographs, engravings, photographs of artworks, and photographs of U.S. Presidents, their Cabinets and wives, and Vice Presidents and other Presiding Officers of the Senate, 1789-1923; and of Vice President Richard M. Nixon's tour of the Far East, 1953.

A photocopy of a daguerreotype of the King of Siam with his child, sent with a letter to the President dated February 14, 1861.

Artworks, photographs of artworks, and photographs of the treaty signers of the alliance with France, 1778, the peace with England, 1782, and the Oregon Territory settlement with England, 1846; of members of "Le Congres de Pekin," 1900; of the International Court of Justice at The Hague, 1903; of the Russo-Japanese peace treaty signing, 1905; of representatives to the United States-Venezuela Arbitration Protocol, 1909; of American statesmen, 1774— (collected in 1909); of foreign diplomats and Spanish-American War treaty signers, 1898-1918; of foreign diplomats, conferences, and ceremonies, 1940-55; of officials and ceremonies of the State Department and conferences with visiting dignitaries, 1943-55; and of State Department officials, Secretaries of State and staff groups, and conferences, 1898-1930.

Photographs received by the Department from consular and diplomatic representatives of the United States of consulates, embassies, American commercial enterprises abroad, and events of diplomatic interest, 1869-1939; of American consuls at Gibraltar, 1848-1934; and illustrating consular trade reports, 1943-49.

Photographs made by the Special War Problems Division of activities of the Swedish Red Cross ship Gripsholm in connection with repatriation of German and Japanese nationals and Americans and Canadians, 1943-44; and of German and Japanese internees at Camp Kenedy, Tex., 1943-44.

Photographs illustrating activities of the Office of Foreign Liquidation Commissioner, 1945-49.

Photographs sent to foreign information centers for distribution abroad, including American housing projects, 1938-50; and photo-posters illustrating life in the United States, 1946-51.

Photographs of officials, guests, and representatives to seminars, conferences, and committee meetings of the United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization, 1945-51.



Miscellaneous photographs and photographs of artworks of the design for the regulation U.S. Minister's uniform, 1817; of Federal buildings in Washington, D.C., 1867-75; of a Chicago building after the 1871 fire; of scenes in Cincinnati, Ohio, ca. 1865; of a deck scene aboard the U.S. frigate Sabine, ca. 1870; relating to the excavation for the remains of John Paul Jones in Paris, 1905; of the floor plans and assembly room in the Hall of Nobility at Petrograd, Russia, 1915; of German and Allied Balkan military units and leaders, including Kaiser Wilhelm II touring the Balkan states, 1916; of war damage to French cities, 1917; and posters used in the third Liberty loan campaign, 1918.

Records of the National Archives and Records Service.

RG 64

1932-63. 2,656 items.

Photographs of the National Archives Building under construction and on completion; the first three Archivists of the United States and other staff members; foreign archivists and other visitors, including President Dwight D. Eisenhower and Vice President Richard M. Nixon; equipment and facilities and archival activities in the Archives Building; and records storage conditions in Federal, State, and foreign government buildings, 1932-61.

Photographs of the Capitol and other Federal buildings, 1951-63.

Photographs made from illustrations in "Engraved and Lithographed Portraits of Abraham Lincoln" by Winfred Porter Truesdell, 1933; Civil War photographs of the District of Columbia and Virginia, copied from the A. J. Russell album in the Virginia Historical Society; and Civil War photographs and other still pictures, 1861-65, mostly of Washington, D.C., from the Columbia Historical Society, Washington, D.C.

Photographs honoring René Prudent Patrice Dagron by the National Microfilm Association on April 2, 1959.

Photographs made by the National Archives and Records Service laboratory from motion picture films about Franklin D. Roosevelt

Records of the Commission of Fine Arts.

RG 66

1910-60. 10,137 items.

Photographs, lantern slides (some hand colored), artworks and photographs of artworks in the general file of the Commission of public parks and gardens in the United States and Europe; illustrating life in colonial America; illustrating Roman, Greek, European, Egyptian, Babylonian, Mexican, and Central American art and architecture, including statues, monuments, medallions, medals, and paintings; of American cemeteries in Europe; of public and semipublic buildings in the United States; of waterfront planning in foreign countries; of the works of American artists; and relating to Commission projects, collected 1910-60.

Folios of artworks and photographs of examples of the works of sculptors seeking commissions for execution of Commission projects, 1920-40.



Records of the United States Fuel Administration.

RG 67

ca. 1918. 55 items.

Photographs and a panorama of Fuel Administration buildings, offices, working rooms, groups of advisors, directors, and the staff.

Panoramas of the West Virginia Coal & Coke Co. installations at Coalton and Bower, W. Va.; the Hitchman Coal & Coke Co. installation at Wheeling, W. Va.; and of an unidentified coal and coke community.

Records of the Work Projects Administration. 1934-43. 121.610 items.

RG 69

Photographs relating to overall activities of the Administration and its predecessor agencies, including Civil Works Administration projects in Wisconsin, 1934; Federal Emergency Relief Administration projects, 1934-35; WPA projects in the States and Alaska, 1936-42; and completed Federal Works Agency projects and defense projects, 1939-42. Illustrations for progress reports, 1934-42; publicity photographs of WPA officials, exhibits submitted by the States, results of WPA activities, and projects, 1936-42; scrapbooks of "This Work Pays Your Community Week" exhibits submitted by the State offices, 1940; and photographs submitted by WPA field offices for a pictorial history of the agency, 1943.

National research project photographs of sociological and industrial conditions in certain areas of unemployment or diminishing employment; and of agricultural and industrial subjects, some dated as early as 1908, for illustration of published reports, 1936-38.

Photographs of Federal music project performances and graphic exhibits relating to the project, 1936-42.

Federal art project photographs illustrating the work of the project divisions and the community art centers in the various States; and photographs of the work of artists, including paintings, murals, sculpture, photography, and other arts, and of art masterpieces and of old sailing vessel figureheads, 1936-43.

Photographs and slides, some hand colored, of Federal theatre project activities, including scenes from plays, marionette shows, and other productions; audiences at productions; and stage sets. Posters advertising theatrical productions, 1935-39.

Photographs of scenic, historical, cultural, and economic resources in the United States and territories, 1936-43, used in the American Guide published by the Federal writers project.

Survey of Federal Archives photographs from States of buildings and rooms used for the storage of Federal records, 1936-40.



Public Works Administration photographs of Federal, State, and municipal buildings; roads and road construction; building construction; and exteriors and interiors of Federal buildings, 1936-42.

Photographs from the Public Roads Administration of U.S. roads and bridges.

U.S. Housing Authority photographs of Federal housing developments, 1936-42.

Records of the Bureau of Mines.

RG 70

1917-18. 100 items.

Photographs pertaining to tests of war gases and gas masks made by the Chemical Warfare Service at the American University Experiment Station, Washington, D.C.

Records of the Bureau of Yards and Docks.

RG 71

1876-1944. 75,927 items.

Photographs, 1876-1944, of naval shore establishments in the United States and its possessions and in foreign countries, in all stages of construction from planning to completion, including navy yards, air stations, submarine bases, coaling stations, and naval training stations. Photographs of construction of and equipment for floating drydocks, lighters, and barges, and construction of bridges, docks, breakwaters, and ships. Photographs of work performed at naval bases by the Public Works Administration, the Work Projects Administration, and private companies.

Photographs of blueprints of powerplant facilities at navy yards, 1909-15. Seabee personnel, activities, and training during World War II. Photographs of explosion damage at an ammunition dump, 1926.

Photographs used in planning activities, testing materials, and settling damage claims, 1901-44.

Records of the Bureau of Aeronautics.

RG 72

1916-46. 96,950 items.

Photographs of the construction and testing of dirigibles, balloons, airplanes, parachutes, and materials at the Philadelphia naval aircraft factory, 1918-41.

Photographs of activities at the Dayton and Akron, Ohio, Naval Air Stations, 1917-38.

Identification photographs of Navy trainees in aerial photography, 1917-18.

Lantern slides for training Navy aviators and photographers of foreign and domestic ships, aircraft, types of equipment, naval air stations, aerial charts and maps, and the flight of the PN-9 to Hawaii, 1916-26.

Photographs of Navy airplanes and structural details supplied by



manufacturers, 1938-46; of aircraft, balloons, and parts constructed by Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co., 1917-38, and Consolidated Aircraft Corp., 1936-38.

Records of the Bureau of Ordnance.

RG 74

Photographs of U.S. and foreign ordnance and ordnance tests, bases, buildings, installations, ships, airships, airplanes, and machinery, 1864-1922. Photographs of the construction and use of naval railway batteries, maps of areas in Europe where the batteries were installed, Allied and German fleets at Scapa Flow, and Secretary of the Navy Josephus Daniels on a trip to Europe, 1917-21. Photographs of ordnance tooling equipment, machinery, smoke bomb tests, graphs, and charts, and the

Photographs of artillery and carriages made in the Creusot works of Schneider & Co., France, 1874-81.

construction of the Fort Defiance Machinery Co., Defiance, Ohio, 1917.

Photographs of naval ordnance used in and underwater damage caused to ships by Operation Crossroads, Bikini, 1946.

Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs. 1862-1959. 13.797 items.

RG 75

Photographs illustrating the overall functions of the Bureau, including Bureau personnel, activities, and facilities at the Indian agencies and on the reservations; relating to the lives of American Indians and including chiefs, family groups, farms, houses, schools, and hospitals, 1872-1940; of irrigation projects on reservations, 1919; of a survey of industrial progress of Indians in Arizona, 1922; of Indian conferences in Minnesota, Oklahoma, and Montana, 1914-27; pertaining to the sale of Oklahoma Indian lands, 1919-25; of classroom activities at Bureau schools, including the Indian Industrial School at Genoa, Nebr., 1910, and the Carlisle, Pa., Indian School, ca. 1914; and concerning health problems and the treatment of tuberculosis in Indians, ca. 1915-28.

Photographs by Alexander Gardner of individual members of tribal delegations to the Federal Government, 1872; and portrait photographs of individual Indian chiefs and tribal leaders, including Algonquin, Kiowa, Sioux, and from the southeastern Idaho reservation, ca. 1880-97.

Photographs collected by the Information Office illustrating Indian living conditions, customs, dress, dances, industry, and service in the Armed Forces, 1920-59, with some dated as early as the 1860's.

Photographs from the Branch of Forestry illustrating forestry program activities in over 50 reservations, 1910-42.

Watercolor paintings, crayon drawings, and needlework of Indian school pupils, ca. 1926.



Hand-colored lantern slides used for educational purposes at the Carlisle Indian School, including Dore illustrations of the Bible, scenes from the life of Columbus, illustrations of selected fables and comic stories, and scenes in Japan; and black and white slides of historic buildings and sites in England and France.

Records of Boundary and Claims Commissions and Arbitrations.

RG 76

1860-1926. 4,036 items.

Photographs of northwestern boundary sites and markers established by the treaty of 1846 between the United States and Great Britain, 1860-61.

Photographs made by United States-Canadian boundary survey parties, some by the British, 1893-95, and some by the United States under E. C. Barnard, of Alaskan rivers, forts, settlements, and scenery, 1898; photographs furnished by the British Commission under the convention of July 22, 1892, to show the mountain boundary of the Lisiere, 1903; and of Mount Logan, Mount Fairweather, and adjacent mountains and glaciers on the Alaskan boundary, 1926.

Photographs of scenes and boundary monuments along the United States-Mexico boundary west of the Rio Grande, made by the U.S. Section of the International Boundary Commission, 1892-94.

Photographs made by the Commission of Engineers for the Costa Rica-Panama Boundary Arbitration, 1910-12.

Records of the Office of the Chief of Engineers.

RG 77

1776-1948. 70,946 items.

Photographs and photographs of artworks, including portraits of Chiefs of Engineers and other officers, 1789-1884 and 1935-39.

Photographs of members of the parties and the territory covered by expeditions and surveys, including the Geological Exploration of the Fortieth Parallel conducted by Clarence King, 1867-80; the U.S. Geographical Surveys West of the 100th Meridian led by Lt. George M. Wheeler, 1871-74; Gen. George A. Custer's Black Hills reconnaissance, 1874; and the survey of the Orinoco-Casiquiare-Negro Waterway in Venezuela, Colombia, and Brazil, 1943.

Photographs, photographs of artworks, and artworks illustrating military facilities, equipment, and activities, including U.S. Army barracks and officers' quarters, 1776-1927; buildings, fortifications, coastal defenses, and equipment at camps, posts, and stations in the United States, Europe, Cuba, Puerto Rico, the Panama Canal Zone, and the Philippine Islands, 1850-1941; Union and Confederate fortifications and installations; ships, models of ordnance, experimental firing of ordnance, and surveying equipment, 1863-89; bridge and road construction, 1879-99 and 1918-41; Army maneuvers, war games, and engineering and ordnance drills, 1901-19; and photographs used in ordnance and engineering training, 1900-1934.

Engineer recruiting posters, 1918-20.



Photographs of drawings, plans, construction, and completed civil projects, including the Washington, D.C., aqueduct, 1857 and 1884; river and harbor improvements and flood control and navigation improvement and related Work Projects Administration projects, 1867-1948; water diversion investigations on the Niagara River, 1906 and 1917, lighthouses, 1827-70, public buildings, statues, monuments, and parkways in the United States, 1868-1916; and the raising of the battleship U.S.S. Maine from Havana Harbor, Cuba, 1911-13.

Photographs of troops and scenes in China during the China Relief Expedition, 1900-1901, of areas in foreign countries, including France, Italy, and Asiatic Russia, 1915-26; of scenes in the Philippine Islands, including Manila, 1918-19; and of Vladivostck and vicinity in Russia made during the American intervention, 1918-19.

Photographs made by the U.S. Section of the International Boundary Commission of monuments marking the boundary between the United States and Mexico, 1892-94.

Photographs made during the U.S. Geological and Geographical Survey of the Territories conducted for the Department of the Interior by Ferdinand V. Hayden, 1869-78.

Stereoscopic photographs made during the U.S. naval exploration and survey for a ship canal by way of the Isthmus of Darien, 1870-74.

Photographs made by the Department of Public Works of Canada of the area proposed for a Georgian Bay ship canal, 1908-9.

Miscellaneous photographs of the U.S. observatory at Ogden, Utah Territory, 1875; of the International Exhibition at Philadelphia, 1876; of bridges, buildings, and roads in and near St. Thomas and London, Ontario, Canada, 1869-97; and of the effects of the San Francisco earthquake, 1906.

Records of the Naval Observatory.

RG 78

1878-1905. 97 items.

Photographs and drawings relating to naval astronomical expeditions to study solar eclipses at La Junta, Colo., and Creston, Wyo., July 29, 1878; Norman, Calif., January 1, 1889; Havana, Cuba, July 27, 1897; and Guelma, Algiers, and Deroca, Spain, 1905.

Records of the National Park Service.

RG 79

1863-1963. 47,558 items.

The W. H. Tipton collection of photographs of Civil War sites, chiefly at Gettysburg but including northern Virginia and Harpers Ferry, 1863-94.

Albertypes made from William H. Jackson's negatives of areas in Utah, Idaho, Montana, and Wyoming, including what is now Yellowstone National Park, taken during the U.S. Geological and Geographical Survey of the Territories led by Ferdinand V. Hayden, 1871-72.



Photographs, stereoscopic prints, and slides, many in color, made by Henry G. Peabody to illustrate lectures about scenic areas, parks, monuments, and historic sites in the United States, Cuba, Mexico, and Canada, ca. 1890-1935.

Slides illustrating engineering activities, including planning, reconstruction, and improvement of national historic sites and western national parks and the Washington Monument, the Executive Office Building, and the North Interior Building in the District of Columbia, 1928-48.

Historical photograph file maintained by park historian Charles W. Porter consisting of photographs, post cards, and clippings relating to scenery, facilities, exhibits, ceremonies, personnel, visitors, and activities in Park Service areas, 1928-62.

Publicity photographs known as the "TV" file showing park officials, visitors, conference and other groups in various park areas, and related subjects, ca. 1928-62.

Photographs by Ansel Adams of national parks and monuments in the West, Boulder Dam, and Indian activities, 1936-41.

Photographs, biographical sketches, correspondence, and other records relating to Park Service personnel and others associated with the park system and its development, ca. 1890-1949, accumulated 1949-54 as a memorial to Stephen T. Mather, first Director of the Service.

Miscellaneous collections, including photographs of areas in Yellowstone and Grand Teton National Parks made by J. E. Haynes, ca. 1920-58; photographs of areas in Glacier National Park made by T. J. Hileman, ca. 1933-45; and photographs of areas in the Great Smoky Mountains National Park made by the Thompson Co., ca. 1936-37.

Photographs of the physical features and development of Zion and Bryce Canyon National Parks, 1929; of scenic areas in National and State parks, 1929-62; and of scenery and visitors in National parks, Park Service officials, military use of parks, park areas in the Congo, and other subjects, 1934-57.

Photographs made at the Western Museum Laboratory documenting Park Service use of professional Civilian Conservation Corps, Work Projects Administration, and National Youth Administration workers in its museum development program, 1934-41.

The Abbie Rowe White House collection of approximately 25,000 photographs covering activities of Presidents Franklin D. Roosevelt, Harry S. Truman, Dwight D. Eisenhower, and John F. Kennedy; their families and aides; ceremonial occasions; visits of dignitaries, both American and foreign, to the White House; and relating to the care and furnishings, including china and paintings, of the White House, 1941-63.



Photographs relating to the celebration of the 200th anniversary of the birth of John Marshall, including copies of portraits of Marshall and other Chief Justices, ca. 1955.

Slides, most in color and some of artworks dating back to 1815, from the files of the Division of Information of the National Capital Parks showing scenery, statues, waterfronts, parkways, slum areas, city plans and development, ceremonies, and Federal and other buildings, 1921-36; photographs of Federal buildings and building designs in Washington, D.C., ca. 1910-17; photographs illustrating work in progress on the Mount Vernon Memorial Highway, 1933-35; and photographs illustrating projects and activities of the Civilian Conservation Corps in the District of Columbia, Maryland, and Virginia, 1934-37.

General Records of the Department of the Navy.

RG 80

1798-1958. 786,872 items.

Photographs and photographs of paintings of naval personnel, including Secretaries of the Navy, 1798-1943; admirals, 1920-45; commodores and Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, 1920-44; naval officers and enlisted personnel, 1917-45; and women in the Army Air Forces, Navy, and Marine Corps, 1943-45.

Photographs relating to naval aviation, including hydroplanes, flying boats, training, equipment, and private planes, 1911-40; Navy aircraft, 1913-37; dirigibles, the Navy's first observation balloon, and aerial views of the city of Houma and the naval air station at Houma, La., 1917-43; the wreckage of the U.S.S. <u>Shenandoah</u> (ZR-1), 1925; personnel, planes, and the naval air station at Lambert Field, St. Louis, Mo., 1943-45; and blimps, personnel, planes, and the naval air station at Hitchcock, Tex., 1943-44.

Stereoscopic photographs of the Great White Fleet in Australia, 1908.

Several series covering miscellaneous subjects, including photographs of historical flights, aircraft, catapult activities, air races, polar expeditions, ships, medals, trophies, Secretaries and Assistant Secretaries of the Navy, and U.S. Presidents, 1896-1939.

Photographs of naval operations, personnel, aircraft, ships and boats, ordnance, equipment, training, buildings, facilities, foreign navies, and geographical areas, 1911-58. Publicity photographs of naval personnel, ships, planes, and activities, 1921-43. Color transparencies of naval operations, personnel, aircraft, ships and boats, ordnance, equipment, training, buildings, facilities, foreign navies, and geographical areas, 1942-58.

Photographs of naval and marine personnel, airfields, and other facilities in foreign countries, 1914-30.

Photographs of interior and exterior views of businesses under contract to supply war materials to the Navy, 1943.



Photographs of a Navy historical exhibit at the Philadelphia Naval Shipyard, 1926.

Photographs of the activities of the U.S.S. <u>Casablanca</u> at sea and at ports of call, 1943-45.

Photographs of the Japanese surrender ceremonies aboard the U.S.S. Missouri, 1945.

Recruiting, Red Cross, and Liberty loan posters and foreign notices and bulletins, 1892-1919.

Records of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics.

RG 83

1896-1947. 26,660 items.

Photographs relating to various aspects of the marketing of agricultural products, including warehousing, grading, standardization, inspection market news service, foreign production and marketing, and rural planning, 1908-38. Photographs of cloud effects used for superimposing on photographs of rural scenes, 1900-1922. Photographs of livestock, 1900-1922. Photographs relating to various aspects of land economics, farm economy, and rural life, 1911-47.

Photographs used as illustrations for studies prepared by the Bureau for the Department of Agriculture's <u>Yearbook</u> relating to land economics, production and marketing, inspection, grading, storage, farm conditions, acreage of crops, and agricultural finance, 1921-34.

Photographs relating to studies of cultural areas in California, New Mexico, South Carolina, New Hampshire, Pennsylvania, and other States pertaining to migratory labor, cooperatives, rural population, typical agricultural activities, and community facilities, 1939-42.

Photographs made by D. S. Bullock, agricultural attache, depicting farming operations in Argentina, Chile, and Peru, 1921-23.

Photographs relating to farming practices, production, rural conditions, and office procedure used for exhibits, publications, and filmstrips, 1936-42.

Photographs of charts and graphs showing population trends, commodities,

and prices, 1939-42.

Photographs made by the Office of Farm Management and the Bureau of Plant Industry relating to studies of agricultural practices and problems, crops, livestock, farm machinery, farm buildings, and cost of production, 1896-1922.

Records of the Women's Bureau.

RG 86

1892-1945. 2,125 items.

Photographs and photographs of artworks of women at work in defense and peacetime industries, in agriculture, and in the professions, 1892-1945. Photographs and photographs of artworks depicting the evolution of working conditions and of the equipment used by women in the home and in industry from colonial to modern times, documenting the struggle for women's rights, and of women's fashions.



Records of the Food and Drug Administration.

RG 88

1906-35. 3,800 items.

Photographs illustrating the functions of the Administration and its predecessor agencies in the Department of Agriculture in the enforcement of the pure food and drug acts, including chemical analysis of drugs and fraudulent labeling of drugs; inspection of milk, fish, and other foods; the seizure and destruction of contaminated foods; and the manufacture of sugar candy, liquors, and other commodities, with some dated as early as 1885.

Records of the Public Health Service.

RG 90

1878-1954. 12,777 items.

Photographs of marine and other hospitals, quarantine stations, and other facilities of the Service. Photographs of administrative and scientific personnel. Photographs pertaining to the study and treatment of malaria, yellow fever, and other diseases spread by insects. Photographs relating to research in communicable and epidemic diseases, nutrition, narcotics, sanitation, industrial and personal hygiene, and immigration.

Photographs made during a quarantine tour of Central America and Panama to study yellow fever, 1906.

Records of the Office of the Quartermaster General.

RG 92

1776-1938. 20,355 items.

Photographs of the construction of Army facilities, including an explosives plant, camps, supply bases, airfields, barracks, storage depots, hospitals, and port terminals in the United States and abroad, 1917-36.

Photographs, a few in color, of installations, repairs, and sites to be added to posts in the United States, the Philippine Islands, and Hawaii, 1887-1911; and of completed facilities, including camps, fortifications, living quarters, hospitals, remount depots, and schools in the United States, the territories, and Cuba, 1865-1924.

Photographs of national cemeteries in the United States, the territories, Mexico, and Europe, 1881-1907 and 1919-22. Photographs of national military parks, monuments, and tablets, 1891-1910.

Photographs, black and white and color drawings, color lithographs, watercolor paintings, and clippings from publications of horses and equipment, including tents, machinery, packs, packsaddles, wagons, field kitchens, ambulances, carts, and stretchers, 1878-1918; of Army transports and ship machinery, 1899-1910; of U.S. and foreign uniforms and designs for uniforms, 1779-1909; of flags of military units, 1860-87; and of quartermaster exhibits at the World Columbian Exposition, 1890.

Photographs illustrating Quartermaster Corps activities, including overseas wartime services such as procurement, storage, and distribution



of equipment and supplies, salvage, repair, and cemeterial services, 1917-19; and participation in the commemoration of the 75th anniversary of the Battle of Gettysburg, 1938.

Portraits and photographs of quartermaster officers, 1776-1905. Photographs of personnel, 1865-1924. Army and Marine Corps recruiting posters, 1910-16.

Photographs of the fire after the San Francisco earthquake, 1906, and of flood scenes in the Mississippi and Ohio River Valleys, 1912.

Records of the Adjutant General's Office, 1780's-1917.

RG 94

1861-1925. 1.799 items.

Photolithographs of Union and Confederate fortifications in Georgia, South Carolina, Tennessee, and Virginia, 1861-64. Photographs of personnel of the U.S. Christian Commission, 1864-65.

Miscellaneous photographs of Lookout Mountain, Tenn., 1866, of glaciers and geological formations near the Copper, Tanana, and Koyukul Rivers in Alaska, 1885, relating to the Spanish-American War and the Philippine Insurrection, 1898-1900, and illustrating positions for firing a rifle, ca. 1900.

Photographs of military activities, including aviation at Texas City, Tex., 1913.

Photographs concerning the Mexican Punitive Expedition, 1916.

Recruiting posters, 1890-1925.

Records of the Forest Service.

RG 95

1895-1945. 43,368 items.

Photographs from the historical file of the Forest Service documenting its development and illustrating its functions, including the enforcement of grazing and farming regulations in the forests, reforestation, road-building, fire control, wildlife protection, and land management, 1895-ca. 1920. This file is being accessioned on a continuing basis and will eventually be updated to 1955.

Photographs of forest reserve areas in Arizona, California, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Oregon, and South Dakota, 1898-1900; of field operations of rangers, survey teams and inspectors, camps, and headquarters in forest reserves in Arizona and Idaho, 1898-1900; and of field parties, mainly in Western States, 1904-31.

Photographs illustrating activities of the Forest Products Laboratory at the University of Wisconsin, 1917-18.

Photographs of forest cover, streams, lookouts, fires, Civilian Conservation Corps training, game, recreation, and other scenes in the national forests, 1933-39.



Photographs, some in color, of raising and harvesting guayule rubber in the United States and Mexico under the emergency rubber project, 1941-45.

Records of the Bureau of Agricultural and Industrial Chemistry. 1878-1942. 4,800 items.

RG 97

Photographs and lantern slides, some hand colored, relating to the prevention, causes, and damage caused by dust and boiler explosions and fires in grain and feed elevators and mills, on farms, and in schools, 1878-1939. Photographs of Bureau personnel and laboratories and illustrating the work of the Bureau, 1908-42. Photographs concerning smelter fume

Lantern slides used to illustrate lectures delivered by Charles Brown, Chief of the Bureau of Chemistry, depicting noted chemists and the history of the chemical industry in America, including the sugar and oil industries, 1671-1941.

General views of Alaska, ca. 1889, and of Holland and the Scandinavian countries, n.d.

Records of the Smithsonian Institution. 1871-1933. 3.650 items.

investigations and erosion control, 1929-38.

RG 106

Photographs and stereoscopic photographs from the records of the Bureau of American Ethnology of Indians and geological formations that were made by the U.S. Geographical Surveys West of the 100th Meridian conducted by Lt. George M. Wheeler, 1871-74. Photographs of American Indians, including chiefs, delegations, and scenes in Indian villages, 1871-1907. Watercolor sketches by Matilda Coxe Stevenson of pottery, ruins, scenery, and the pueblos of Acomo, Cochiti, and Laguna, 1882. Photographs by F. A. Ames of Indians, Mormons, petrified forest, ranch

Photographs made by II. M. Smith, an ichthyologist associated with the Smithsonian, of fish and marine life and customs and culture of people of foreign countries, 1887-1933.

life in Arizona Territory, and the Grand Canyon area, 1887-89.

Photographs made or collected by Nathaniel L. Dewall of the Canal Zone and the construction of the Panama Canal, 1900-1914; of effects of World War I in Belgium and France, 1917-19; of the Philadelphia Naval Shipyard and vicinity, 1899-1900; and of places of historic interest in the British Isles, Europe, and the Pacific Islands, 1911-18.

Records of the Office of the Secretary of War.

RG 107

1943. 118 items.

Photographs of Under Secretary of War Robert Patterson's mission to Australia, August 14-September 11, 1943.

Records of the Office of the Chief Signal Officer.

RG 111

1860-1945. 295,432 items.

Photographs made during the Civil War period of the Army in general,



historical places, naval scenes, individuals, groups, Army transports, and Union and Confederate fortifications in Georgia, many of which were made by or under the direction of Mathew B. Brady.

Photographs, some of paintings, sketches, drawings, and engravings, of American frontier forts, of Army units and events during the American Indian wars, Indians and Indian life, and Indian fighters, 1860-1919.

Illustrations concerning military history, including the French and Indian War, the Revolutionary War, the War of 1812, the Mexican War, the Spanish-American War, the Philippine Insurrection, the China Relief Expedition, and the Mexican Punitive Expedition, 1754-1916.

Photographs of activities of the American Expeditionary Forces in the United States and in Europe, battlefields in France on which the AEF served, AEF cemeteries in Europe, and President Woodrow Wilson's trips to Europe, 1917-21.

Photographs of the Japanese capture of the German treaty port of Tsingtao, China, 1914.

Photographs collected by Maj. Gen. Adolphus W. Greely, Chief Signal Officer, 1882-1906, illustrating his military and civilian activities, 1865-1935.

Photographs depicting the history of aviation, 1903-35.

Photographs of activities of the Quartermaster Corps, 1918-30.

Newspaper clippings of Allied and Axis troops, 1941-45.

Records of the Office of the Surgeon General (Army). 1943-49. 1.112 items.

RG 112

Photographs of Army Medical Corps activities in Europe, 1943-46, and of the celebration of the 48th anniversary of the Army Nurse Corps. 1949.

Records of the Soil Conservation Service.

1934-55. 4,300 items.

RG 114

Photographs of farming operations and techniques and soil conservation activities in Arizona, Colorado, New Mexico, Kansas, Utah, Montana, North and South Dakota, and Wyoming, 1934-55. Photographs of Indians and reservation life, Civilian Conservation Corps activities, landscape views, and geographic features of areas in Arizona, Colorado, New Mexico, Kansas, Utah, and Wyoming, 1934-55. Photographs relating to a snow survey of the 1950's. Aerial photographs made for a soil erosion study, 1934-37.

Records of the Bureau of Reclamation.

RG 115

1897-1955. 75,089 items.

Photographs documenting activities of the Bureau in the development of power and irrigation projects; of towns, transportation, agricultural



activities, industries, roads, bridges, rivers, floods, drought conditions, and economic and physical results of reclamation projects; relating to the development and engineering progress of dams, reservoirs, canals, tunnels, flumes, pumpingplants, and powerplants; and of maps and diagrams of projects, in most of the States and Hawaii, 1897-1955.

Photographs of Bureau exhibits and displays.

Photographs documenting the activities of the Civilian Conservation Corps at Bureau projects, 1934-43.

Hand-colored slides of Indian tribes of the Western United States, their culture, customs, and ways of life, 1899-1909.

Photographs of U.S. national parks, 1918-31.

Photographs illustrating irrigation in foreign countries, 1920-27.

Records of the American Battle Monuments Commission.

RG 117

1923-38. 1.489 items.

Photographs and sketches of memorials and monuments erected in Europe to honor U.S. Armed Forces serving there in World War I, prepared by or submitted to the American Battle Monuments Commission, 1923-38.

Terrain photographs of battlefields in Europe on which 29 divisions of U.S. Armed Forces served, with key maps and annotations to provide identification of the terrain, 1923-25.

Records of the National Youth Administration.

RG 119

1935-42. 20,900 items.

Photographs of all phases of the job training and student aid programs and recreational activities, 1935-42. Photographs collected for the illustration of projected publications, concerning the history of the NYA, and including photographs and illustrations from publications of tools, machines, vehicles, roads, dams, bridges, and the like, dating from 1700 to 1941.

Records of the American Expeditionary Forces (World War I),

1917-23.

RG 120

1915-20. 9,950 items.

Photographs of terrain and battle damage in France, 1917-18. Photographs of American cemeteries in France, 1920.

Photographs of Camouflage, Mining, and Bridging Sections of the Army Engineer School, 1918. Photographs illustrating the Inter-Allied Rifle, Pistol, and Musketry Competitions at Belgian Camp and the history of the Air Service in the AEF, 1917-19. Photographs of men awarded the Croix de Guerre, 1918-19.

Liberty bond, Red Cross, Jewish Welfare Board, Young Women's Christian Association, French, and military posters, 1915-19.



Records of the Public Buildings Service.

RG 121

1855-1966. 121,238 items.

Photographs illustrating plans, construction, alterations, and completion of Federal and other public buildings, monuments, and memorials in Washington, D.C., and throughout the United States and abroad, including post offices, customhouses, courthouses, Coast Guard air stations and quarantine stations, Veterans Administration hospitals and facilities, defense housing, Government exhibition buildings and exhibits at national and international expositions, schools, health and recreation facilities, the Capitol, the Lincoln Memorial, and the Arlington Memorial Amphitheater, 1855-1966.

Artworks such as paintings, murals, and sculpture produced for installation in public buildings and sketches submitted in several competitions, 1933-43.

Photographs of drawings and paintings of war industries, civilian defense activities, and military personnel and equipment, 1941-45.

Photographs of paintings by Henry W. Elliott of the fur seal industry in the Pribilof Islands, 1872-90.

Photographs of the children of President Grover Cleveland, 1895-1903.

Photographs of some Cabinet officials and postmasters appointed during the administration of President Rutherford B. Hayes, 1877.

Records of the Office of Territories.

RG 126

1908-48. 21,268 items.

Photographs of the Copper River Railroad, Alaska, 1908, and of the survey, construction, and operation of the Alaska Railroad, 1914-23. Photographs of Alaskan agricultural products, 1914-23.

Photographs of President Warren G. Harding in Alaska and of his funeral, 1923.

Photographs pertaining to the activities of the Puerto Rico Reconstruction Administration and of the terrain, vegetation, animals, buildings, and people of Puerto Rico, 1935-48.

Photographs of all aspects of the Byrd Antarctic Expedition, 1939-41.

Records of the United States Marine Corps.

RG 127

1775-1968. 16,300 items.

Photographs and photographs of artworks depicting the history of the Marine Corps, 1775-1945, including exotic items such as Japanese paintings on silk showing Japanese impressions of Perry's 19th-century marines, many of the originals of which are in the Marine Corps Museum at Quantico, Va.

Photographs relating to activities of the administrations of Theodore Roosevelt through Lyndon B. Johnson in connection with the Corps and photographs of portraits, artworks, and documents concerning George Washington,



John Adams, Thomas Jefferson, James Monroe, James K. Polk, James Buchanan, Abraham Lincoln, and U. S. Grant.

Records of the Office of Alien Property.

RG 131

1908-41, 54,280 items.

Photographs of German works of art, cities, industries, festivals, customs, Nazi officials, and military operations in Europe and Africa from the records of the German Railroads Information Office, New York City, 1930-41. Photographs of personnel and activities of the German-American Bund, 1932-41. Interior and exterior photographs of ships of the Hamburg-American Line--North German Lloyd, 1908-39; and of cities, natives, and buildings at ports visited by ships of the line, 1920-39. Photographs of imported steel products sold by the Seamless Steel Equipment Corp., New York City, and of German and American steel products of a general character, 1926-40. Photographs of farms, quarries, chemical plants, and related industries in the United States from the records of Chemnyco, Inc., New York City, 1928-35; and performances and scenes from Ufa-Films, Inc., ca. 1939-40.

Records of the Public Works Administration.

RG 135

1933-39, 15,500 items.

Photographs of completed projects and of projects under construction by the Public Works Administration in all 48 States, the District of Columbia, Alaska, Hawaii, and Puerto Rico. Photographs and layouts for a report to the President entitled "Survey of the Architecture of Completed Projects of the PWA," 1939.

Records of the Agricultural Marketing Service.

RG 136

1909-19. 1,300 items.

Photographs related to cooperative studies of the egg and poultry industry carried on by the Bureau of Chemistry, the Bureau of Animal Industry, and the Bureau of Markets.

Records of the Tennessee Valley Authority.

RG 142

1933-41. 2,000 items.

Photographs made or collected by the Recreation and Conservation Section of the Land Planning and Housing Division of the Authority showing old taverns, old mills, mountain cabins, barns, bridges, and waterfalls prior to construction of hydroelectric power and reservoir facilities, and recreational development in the TVA areas.

Records of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service.

1940-45. 1,800 items.

Photographs of civilian and military activities for the national defense.

Records of Minor Congressional Commissions.

RG 148

RG 145

1931-39. 2,450 items.

Photographs of artworks pertaining to the life and career of Washington, from the records of the U.S. George Washington Bicentennial Commission, 1931-33.



Photographs and photographs of artworks from the U.S. Constitution Sesquicentennial Commission depicting the signers and the signing of the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution, of the deputies to the Constitutional Convention and their families, and of memorabilia pertaining to the Constitution, 1937-39.

Records of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce.

RG 151

1899-1939. 10.100 items.

Photographs relating to functions of the Bureau made in more than 80 countries of the people, institutions and ways of life, transportation facilities, and agricultural and industrial commodities, 1899-1939. Photographs of personnel of the Bureau. 1913-30.

Records of the Office of the Chief of Ordnance.

RG 156

1866-1941. 65.387 items.

Photographs relating to ordnance testing and personnel training activities, most made at or collected by the Army Ordnance Corps at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., of buildings and facilities, motor transport materiel, armored vehicles, airplanes, technical and experimental equipment, guns and gun carriages, antiaircraft artillery, mechanized weapons, aerial bombs, ammunition, machineguns, armorplate, bomb shelters, and the maintenance and repair of ordnance materiel, 1917-41; of small arms and ammunition, ca. 1879; and of disappearing gun carriages and heavy artillery, 1897-98.

Photographs of arsenals, including those at Washington, D.C., 1866, Benicia, Calif., 1899-1906, Rock Island, Ill., 1906-18, and Edgewood, Md., 1918. A collection of World War I photographs from the Historical Branch, Executive Division of the Corps, of ordnance depots, schools, plants, and equipment; and of the 1919 transcontinental convoy. Photographs of the facilities and activities at the Muscle Shoals, Ala., nitrate plant, 1917-18, and interior and exterior views of plants producing ordnance for the Army, 1917-19.

A few World Wars I and II posters.

General Records of the Federal Works Agency.

RG 162

1936-49. 4,300 items.

Photographs of the overall activities of the Agency, 1936-49. Photographs of the activities and projects of the Public Buildings Administration, 1939-43. Photographs of activities and projects of the Division of War Public Works, 1942-44.

Records of the War Department General and Special Staffs.

RG 165

1860-1947. 115,596 items.

Photographs relating to the Civil War of U.S. Army barracks and other buildings, railroads, ships, forts, and military personnel and civilians, 1861-74. Photographs from "Gardner's Photographic Sketchbook" of Union Army activities in Virginia, Maryland, and Pennsylvania, 1861-65. Cartes-devisite photographs of military and civilian leaders, 1861-74. Photographs of military activities in Florida, Georgia, and South Carolina, including some made by Sam A. Cooley for the Quartermaster's Department, 1861-65. Watercolor sketches of Civil War scenes by Herbert E. Valentine, 1861-65.



Photographs of portraits of generals and other officers of the Civil War, 1861-74, made or collected by the Adjutant General's Office. Lantern slides illustrating events in the life of Abraham Lincoln.

Stereoscopic photographs of the United States, ca. 1861-1905, showing forts, geological formations, soldiers, Indians, ships, railroads, and factories. Photographs of American frontier forts, Army officers, and American Indians, 1860-1915.

Photographs of U.S. Army exhibits and displays at expositions, ca. 1890-1910.

Color lithographs made by H. A. Ogden, 1890-1908, of U.S. Army uniforms, 1774-1908.

Photographs relating to the Spanish-American War, including U.S. troops, military activities in the United States and Cuba, interior and exterior views of transport ships in service during the war, and portraits of Signal Corps officers, 1898-1900. Copies of Leslie's Illustrated Weekly containing photographs relating to the Spanish-American War, 1898. Photographs of Santiago and Havana, Cuba, and St. Thomas, V.I., ca. 1900, and of Cuban railroad bridges, n.d.

Photographs concerning the Philippine Insurrection of fortifications and activities; of U.S. troops and Philippine insurgents, 1899-1901; of natives and churches and other buildings in the islands, 1900-1905, that were donated to the War Department by Capt. Archibald W. Butt; and of the "Battle of Racolod," Philippine Islands, 1903. Photographs of Army maneuvers at Fort William McKinley, Philippine Islands, 1925.

Photographs made or collected by Brig. Gen. Frederick King Ward and members of his family relating to Ward's service with the 1st Cavalry Regiment and other military units, 1899-1922.

Photographs of fortifications and military activities of United States and foreign troops in China during the Boxer Rebellion, 1900-1901.

Photographs of Mexican Army maneuvers, 1901, of transportation facilities in Mexico, including roads, bridges, railroads, tunnels, and villages, that were made by U.S. Army officers to accompany certain reconnaissance reports, 1904-10; relating to the Mexican Punitive Expedition, 1914-17; of United States and Mexican Army personnel, some made by C. Tucker Beckett and some by Col. George H. McMaster.

Photographs of U.S. military buildings at Camp Leilehua, Hawaii, 1909; and of military installations and personnel in Hawaii, 1914-32.

The "American Unofficial Collection of World War I Photographs," made by commercial firms, professional photographers, or United States or foreign government agencies and assembled by the Committee on Public Information for publication in an official history of World War I. Panoramic photographs of camps and military units, 1917-21, made in the United States and Europe. Photographs of ordnance equipment under construction, 1907-19, illustrating military training programs in educational institutions, 1917-21,



of military personnel, 1917-21, of graves and cemeteries in France of soldiers of the AEF, 1920-21, and of women who were involved with the Division of Women's War Work. First-run lithographs of drawings by Joseph Pennell relating to U.S. war industries, made for the Committee on Public Information, 1917-18. Photographs and post cards of camps, forts, and military personnel in the States and showing Allied troops and military activities overseas, 1915-19. Photographs made by Maj. F. T. Colby of military personnel and activities and ruins of buildings in Belgium, Yugoslavia, Hungary, Serbia, Albania, and Rumania, 1915-19. Copies of the New York Tribune Sunday pictorial section, 1917-18, containing pictures pertaining to the war. Photographs relating to the Siberian Expeditionary Forces, 1918-23, showing United States, British, and Russian soldiers and military activities in northern Russia and Siberia. Photographs of activities of American forces in Germany, 1921-23, and of the shipping of the body of the Unknown Soldier from France, October 24, 1921.

French post cards of buildings in France before the war and of ruins of the same buildings directly after the war. Photographs by Belgian photographers of Belgian, British, and German military personnel and activities, 1914-15. British photographs, 1914-18, of military activities and personnel in England and in the theaters of operations. Italian photographs of war activities, troops, and equipment, 1918. Photographs of military operations and peace demonstrations in the Russian Army, 1917. Aerial photographs showing German and Allied positions along the Belgian coast, 1917. Photographs made by German photographers of German and Austrian military activities and personnel, 1914-18; German post cards of ships of the German Navy and German military activities, 1914-18, and captured German lantern slides showing war activities, 1917-19. Austrian photographs showing troops engaged in military activities on the Izonzo and Dalmatian fronts, 1914-18.

Panoramic photographs of U.S. Army personnel, forts, and airfields, 1936-38.

Photographs documenting the activities of the B-17 bomber Hell's Angels and the B-24 liberator Bomerang during World War II. Photographs of German, Russian, and Japanese military equipment and Japanese atrocities, 1921-45, that were collected by the Map and Photographic Branch, Training Group, Intelligence Division, and its predecessors.

Photographs of parades, war shows, and celebrations, n.d. and 1947.

Photographs and maps showing harbors, railroads, and bridges near Montreal, Victoria, and Halifax, Canada, 1889-90. Stereoscopic photographs of foreign scenes, including geological formations, interior and exterior views of historic buildings, and people, 1865-1910. Photographs relating to the Russo-Japanese War of Japanese ships, troops, and military activities at Port Arthur, 1905, and made by Collier's war correspondents, of Japanese and Russian troops, 1904-5. Photographs of Japanese and Chinese Army maneuvers, 1909, of Spanish Army operations in the Larache Zone, 1924-25, and of Czechoslovakian Army operations at Politz, 1923.



Records of the National Bureau of Standards.

RG 167

1901-59. 500 items.

Photographs of the buildings, equipment, and personnel of the Bureau, 1901-54. Photographs illustrating scientific research and achievements, 1901-59.

Records of the National Guard Bureau.

RG 168

1898-99 and 1922-35. 632 items.

Photographs of U.S. Army personnel and activities in Cuba, 1898-99. Photographs of the Oklahoma National Guard, 1924, and of crests, coats of arms, and general activities of the National Guard, 1922-35.

Records of the Foreign Economic Administration.

RG 169

1942-45. 2,220 items.

Photographs concerning procurement and development of agricultural and mineral commodities, of cinchona production in Guatemala, and of forestry plantations from the air.

Records of the Office of Civilian Defense.

RG 171

1940-44. 4.500 items.

Photographs illustrating all phases of civilian defense activities, including fire prevention, drills, rescue operations, bombs, bomb tests, defense against gas attack and injuries caused by poison gas, air raid instruction, camouflage materials, camouflaged industrial installations, and of OCD personnel. Aerial photographs of industrial and residential areas relating to camouflage studies, and drawings of camouflage plans.

General Records of the Department of Labor.

RG 174

1949-54. 19 items.

Photographs of Secretaries of Labor Maurice J. Tobin and Martin P. Durkin and of the 40th anniversary celebration of the Department.

Records of the War Production Board.

RG 179

1942-45. 1,602 items.

Original posters used in various production drives initiated by the Board, 1942-43. Lantern slides used in training staff members and employees of plants engaged in war production.

Records of the Naval Districts and Shore Establishments.

RG 181

1891-1945. 20,985 items.

Photographs of Navy personnel, ships, aircraft, and the facilities of the Washington Naval Shipyard, 1891-1919. Photographs of building construction, repair, and alteration of ships, and other activities at the Philadelphia Naval Shipyard, 1907-26. Photographs of construction progress, installation of equipment, and damaged machinery and ships at the Pearl Harbor Naval Shipyard, 1914-42. Photographs of officers and men, quarters, and operational activities at the U.S. naval base, Falmouth, England, 1944-45.

Records of the Panama Canal.

RG 185

1904-40. 10,000 items.

Photographs illustrating the construction, operation, and history of the canal.



Records of the Office of Price Administration.

RG 188

1941-47. 2.232 items.

Photographs of activities and officials of the Office and relating to the necessity of price controls and rationing. Posters used in promoting compliance with the regulations.

Records of the National Academy of Sciences.

RG 189

1943-45. 151 items.

Photographs of the development of the Paricutin Volcano, Michoacan, Mexico.

Records of the Public Housing Administration.

RG 196

Collected ca. 1937. 210 items.

Photographs depicting slum conditions in the United States and London, 1898-1903.

National Archives Gift Collection.

RG 200

1858-1964. 15,800 items.

Civil War photographs, artworks, and copies of artworks of Abraham Lincoln; Union Gens. U. S. Grant, Philip H. Sheridan, Gordon Granger, and George A. Custer; of Confederate Gen. George E. Pickett; and of battlefields, fortifications, campsites, events, and military units, both Union and Confederate, 1861-65. Watercolor sketches of camps and fortifications and of the activities of soldiers by William McIlvaine, 1863-64; engravings from Robert Tomes' history of the Civil War, 1880, and stereoscopic photographs used by the War Photograph and Exhibition Co. of Hartford, Conn., in publishing The War for the Union.

Spanish-American War photographs of U.S. troops in Florida and Cuba, of Col. William Jennings Bryan, and of Capt. Charles D. Sigsbee of the U.S.S. Maine. Philippine Insurrection photographs of troops and activities in the Philippine Islands and of Gen. Amilio Aguinaldo.

World War I photographs of battlefields, towns, and damaged areas in France and Germany, 1915-19, of the women's training camp at Chevy Chase, Md., and relating to the history of the 29th Division, 1917-19. Lithographs of the declaration of war between the United States and Germany signed by U.S. Congressmen and made by Lucien Jones, official artist with the French forces, 1914-16. American posters. Photographs collected by Earnest C. Tracy of French and American troops, German prisoners, the destruction of Rheims Cathedral, President Woodrow Wilson's arrival at Brest, Premier Georges Clemenceau visiting troops, captured artillery, trenches, and several French towns.

World War II photographs of the German advance through Poland, 1939, and into Russia, 1941. Photographs of the construction and launching of American merchant ships, 1939-48, of campaigns in Alsace and southern Germany, 1945, and of the U.S.S. Westpoint with returning troops aboard.

Other photographs relating to the Korcan Punitive Expedition under the command of Commodore C. R. Perry Rodgers, 1871; made by John Hillers



for the U.S. Geographical and Geological Survey of the Rocky Mountain Region, conducted by John Wesley Powell, 1870-78; of Army Engineer activities, 1900-1920; of the Rainbow Bridge discovery expedition, 1909; of Theodore Roosevelt's 1912 campaign train at Baldwin, Kans.; relating to the history of aircraft, 1900-1945; and of the wreckage of the dirigible Shenandoah (ZR-1), 1925. Also photographs, postal cards, illustrations from magazines, watercolors, and woodcuts illustrating the Lady Franklin Bay Expedition, 1881-84; and of prominent arctic explorers, of survivors of the expedition and their families, and of other associates of David Legge Brainard, 1884-1931.

Photographs and color slides of the work of Afro-American and African artists, ca. 1922-70, from the Harmon Foundation and the University of South Alabama.

Photographs and photographs of artworks relating to the activities of Presidents, including Abraham Lincoln and his family and concerning his assassination and the capture of John Wilkes Booth; U. S. Grant and his second inaugural; Rutherford B. Hayes and Mrs. Hayes; James A. Garfield; Theodore Roosevelt; William Howard Taft as Governor of the Philippines, 1900, and signing the Arizona Statehood Proclamation, 1912; Woodrow Wilson and his 1913 inaugural and at the first airmail flight, 1918; Herbert C. Hoover; Franklin D. Roosevelt as a young man and his activities as President, 1953-39; Dwight D. Hisenhower and his family, 1903-52; John F. Kennedy at the opening of the Kennedy Highway, 1963; and Vice President Lyndon B. Johnson and Mrs. Johnson in 1962. Also photographs and photographs of artworks of prominent persons, including Supreme Court Justices, Cabinet members, political leaders, military leaders, civil rights workers, writers, and artists; and of members of political committees, Government commissions, Indian delegations, and the armed services, 1858-1964.

Miscellaneous photographs of Washington, D.C., and vicinity, 1859-1943, including the Department of Agriculture Building, 1868; the construction of the Capitol dome, the Treasury Building, and Walter Reed Hospital; of the 1958 dedication of the Post Office at Little Rock, Ark.; of San Francisco and Yosemite, Calif., 1900; of the New Orleans Mint, n.d.; of Boston, Lexington, and Plymouth, Mass., 1930; of Ortonville, Minn., 1880; of Pittsburgh and Gettysburg, Pa., 1929; of New York City, 1900; of a lighthouse at Charlotte, N.C., ca. 1890; of places in Alaska, 1870-1910; of the Georgetown mining region in Colorado Territory, n.d.; of Hawaii and the Philippine Islands, 1900-1911; of Panama and the construction of the canal, 1911-16; of the weighing station at the customhouse at St. Croix, West Indies, n.d.; of various places in France and England, 1919-27; and a drawing of the Philadelphia Mint, ca. 1910.

Records of the Office of War Information. 1941-45. 206,100 items.

RG 208

Photographs illustrating all phases of activity on the homefront, including progress in the fields of science, art, industry, women's fashions, transportation, and the role of the Negro in industry and government. Photographs of all phases of military operations of the Allies and the Axis, including the role of the American Negro in the armed services, Free French Army and Navy training, supply methods, the Battle of the Bulge, the liberation of France and Italy, and the German surrender. Photographs



of German concentration camps and victims, prisoners of war, and wounded of both sides. Photographs of the funeral of President Franklin D. Roosevelt. Photographs of V-E and V-J Day celebrations.

Photographs of the Inter-American Conference at Mexico City, 1944-45, the United Nations Conference on International Organization, 1945, a Chinese translation of the United Nations Charter, and the statute of the International Court of Justice.

Photographs of Office of War Information overseas outposts. Photographs of postwar visits of foreign dignitaries to the United States.

Posters, streamers, stickers, handbills, and placards promoting conservation, war bond purchase, increased production, and the protection of military information.

Watercolors, woodcuts, sketches, etchings, and photographs of aspects of American life of interest to foreigners, 1776-1945, including universities, historical and contemporary architecture, portraits of persons prominent in American history, and domestic activities. Photographs of illustrations, many dating to the 1930's, published in United States of America and Photo Review Factual History and released for publication abroad, and of illustrations for feature stories in Victory Magazine. A file of Victory Magazine, 1943-45, in English and foreign languages, and newspaper clippings, 1933-45.

Records of the War Relocation Authority.

RG 210

1942-45. 12,600 items.

Photographs, 1942-45, made by Dorothea Lange, Hikaru Iwasaki, and others of the property of the Japanese before evacuation and of evacuation activities of the WRA. Photographs of housing, vocational, educational, and recreational facilities at the centers, arranged by subject and by relocation center.

Photographs of the emergency refugee shelter for displaced Europeans at Fort Ontario, Oswego, N.Y., 1944-45.

Records of Presidential Committees, Commissions, and Boards.

RG 220

1945-52. 1,002 items.

Photographs made for the Commission on Renovation of the Executive Mansion of the White House before and during the renovation.

Records of the Office of Strategic Services.

RG 226

1919-40. 228 items.

Photographs relating to the industrial development of China, Japan, and the Philippine Islands prior to World War II.

Records of the Office of Scientific Research and Development.

RG 227

1943-44. 1,500 items.

Photographs from Division 12 relating to the development of amphibious vehicles.



Records of the Office of Inter-American Affairs.

RG 229

1941-45. 79 items.

Original paintings, drawings, sketches, and Cartoons pertaining to inter-American cooperation, American war production, and assistance given by the United States to Latin American countries in improving agriculture and public health.

Records of the United States House of Representatives. 226 items.

RG 233

Photographs relating to rivers and harbors of the banks of the Mississippi River and wharves at New Orleans, La., the wharves and harbor at Bridgeport, Conn., the destruction of Flood Rock in the East River at New York City, and the sinking of the Susan E. Peck in St. Mary's River, 1880-91.

Photographs concerning the "Oklahoma Railroad Bill," H.R. 3606, 53d Congress, 1st session, of Round Pond, Wharton, and Enid, Okla., 1893-94.

Photographs of exhibits at the World's Columbian Exposition, 1893, and of members of the Board of Lady Managers of the exposition, 1893-96.

A lithograph of Congressman John E. Russell of Massachusetts, 1893.

Records of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation.

RG 234

1932-44. 917 items.

Photographs relating to the activities of the Rubber Development Corporation in Brazil, 1942-44.

Photographs of the Board of Directors of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, 1932 and 1938.

General Records of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare. 1861-1865. 131 items.

Photographs from "Brady's Album Gallery" and "Photographic Incidents of the War" depicting military pridges, camp activities, battle scenes, fortifications, gumboats, and street scenes. Photographs of hospitals and rest homes in and near Washington, D.C.

Records of the Federal Aviation Administration.

RG 237

1942-44. 2,400 items.

Portrait photographs of air cadets of the War Training Service of the Civil Aeronautics Administration.

National Archives Collection of World War II War Crimes Records.

RG 238

1933-49. 5,022 items.

Photographs of the courtrooms, judges, counsel for the prosecution and for the defense, defendants, witnesses, and prisons where defendants were held for the International Military Tribunal at Nuremberg, 1945-46, the U.S. Military Tribunal at Nuremberg, 1946-49, and the International Military Tribumal for the Far East at Tokyo, 1946-48.



Exhibits for the prosecution consisting of photographs of the Nazi destruction of the Warsaw ghetto and of other Nazi activities in Poland, 1940-41, and of Nazi activities in the Krupp works, 1933-41.

Records of the American Commission for the Protection and Salvage
of Artistic and Historic Monuments in War Areas.

1938-46. 342 items.

Aerial photographs of cities in Italy, Spain, and Burma, 1943-46. Photographs of monuments and buildings in Frankfurt, Germany, 1938-46.

National Archives Collection of Foreign Records Seized, 1941- RG 242 1913-45. 323,797 items.

A collection of photographs of World War I battles near Verdun, ca. 1916.

Photographs made by Heinrich Hoffmann, official photographer of the National Socialist Party, relating to Nazi activities, 1919-44, of the Spanish Civil War, 1938-39, and of the 1936 Olympiad at Berlin. Photographs created by the German Propaganda Ministry, 1940-42, entitled "Greater Germany in World History." Photographs published in the Spanish language magazine Revista Alemana during World War II. Photographs of Waffen SS units and activities in Poland, France, Russia, and the Balkans, 1943-44. An album presented to a Colonel Erhard to commemorate his 25th anniversary as a pilot, 1941. Photographs of Axis leaders and activities and concerning German military operations and personnel, 1930-45. Photographs collected by Joachim von Ribbentrop concerning his career, his family, and his social life, 1934-42. Photographs collected by Eva Braun pertaining to her personal and social life and activities, 1913-44.

Records of the United States Strategic Bombing Survey.

RG 243

1945. 12,500 items.

Photographs of the physical effects of strategic bombing in Belgium, France, Germany, Italy, and Japan. Photographs of the effects of the atomic bomb on Hiroshima and Nagasaki.

Records of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.
1917-65. 23,416 items.

RG 255

Photographs made or collected by NASA and its predecessor, the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics, relating to aerodynamics, powerplants for aircraft, materials and construction, types of aircraft and structures, operating problems and navigation, research facilities and projects, and rocket experiments, 1917-61.

Photographs of the testing, launching, and tracking of the first U.S. satellite by Project Vanguard, 1956-59. Photographs of charts used in lectures and other presentations. Photographs of the lunar surface made by Rangers VII and VIII, 1964-65.

Records of the United States Occupation Headquarters, World War

RG 260

II. 1944-49. 83,700 items.

Photographs made by the Monuments, Fine Arts, and Archives Section, Restitution Branch, Economics Division, Office of Military Government, of



war-damaged institutions, monuments, and historically imporatant buildings in Germany and Italy. Photographs of damaged monuments in other European war areas. Photographs of Polish art evacuated to Canada, and of German depositories and artworks and books looted from Belgium, Poland, Russia, Greece, Hungary, and elsewhere.

Photographs of political and social functions at Obersalzberg, 1919-35, and illustrations used in a book about the Hicler family tree of scenes in the Austria of Adolph Hitler's youth.

Records of the Philippine War Damage Commission. 1945-51. 1,100 items.

RG 268

Before and after reconstruction photographs of schools, waterworks, hospitals, government buildings, tenement houses, the Philippine University, and the School of Art and Trade and other buildings damaged by war or typhoons.

Records of the War Assets Administration.

RG 270

1946-49. 2.800 items.

Photographs illustrating the Administration's activities. Photographs pertaining to real estate assets.

Records of the President's Commission on the Assassination of

RG 272

President Kennedy.

ca. 1940-64. 9.800 items.

Photographs used in publishing the report of the Commission.

Records of the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service. 1959. 69 items.

RG 280

Slides and a manual used as guidance for mediators in connection with the preventive mediation work of the Service.

Records of the United States Information Agency.

RG 306

1900-1961. 663,998 items.

The photographic file of the Paris bureau of the New York Times, 1900-1950, containing photographs covering a broad range of subject matter, including worldwide coverage of sports, festivities, industries, institutions, and fashions; the Paris exposition of 1900; World War I; French troops and maneuvers between the wars; the Paris riots of 1934; the Saar plebiscite, 1935; the Russo-Finnish War, 1939-40; the opening phases of World War II and activities of Allied and Axis Armed Forces; the liberation and Allied occupation of Europe following the war; and postwar international meetings, treaties, and conferences, including the organization of the United Nations.

Photographs used in connection with news activities of the Information Center Service and for the production of displays, picture stories, and posters, and to illustrate press releases, 1948-57; relating to activities of important persons of all nationalities, the American Council on Education, industry, conservation, the merchant marine, the North African campaign in World War II, and the role of women in war, 1948-61; and of overseas installations and activities of the Information Center Service, 1948-54.



Records of the National Capital Planning Commission.

RG 328

ca. 1900-1942. 2,660 items.

Photographs, lantern slides, and drawings of Washington, D.C., including the Washington Monument, Rock Creek Park, the Capitol, and the Supreme Court Building, and including some views of the Grand Coulee Dam and several national parks in the United States and a few places in Europe and South America.

Records of the Allied Operational and Occupation Headquarters,

RG 331

World War II.

1940-45. 3,020 items.

Photographs of Supreme Headquarters Allied Expeditionary Forces taken during the invasion of Europe, 1944-45. Photographs of graphs from General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, relating to the prison population of Japan, population changes in Japan, food imports required for various diet levels in Japan, and other subjects, 1940-45.

Records of Headquarters Army Ground Forces.

RG 337

1942-44. 1,300 items.

Photographs used in mountain winter warfare training, universal military training, and other ground forces activities.

Records of United States Air Force Commands, Activities, and

RG 342

Organizations.

1945-59. 9,300 items.

Photographs documenting all Air Force activities in Germany and Japan following World War II. The General Goddard collection of photographs of historic sites in Europe after the close of the war. Photographs collected for "Project Open Skies--Mutual Inspection for Peace," 1955, of cities and towns, buildings, and Air Force activities in various parts of the United States.

Records of the Bureau of Insular Affairs.

RG 350

1898-1935. 14,570 items.

Photographs relating to Puerto Rico, including Governors, census enumerators, police, schools, roads, and other subjects, 1901-35. Photographs of places and persons in Haiti, Santo Domingo, the Panama Canal, Cuba, and the Virgin Islands, 1898-1935. Photographs of Philippine agricultural products and methods, native tribes, customs, crafts, industries, modes of transportation and development of railroads, educational facilities, public roads and buildings, native and American military organizations, American and Philippine officials, political bodies, historic events, and the islands and selected cities, 1898-1935.

Records of the Government of the District of Columbia.

RG 351

1874-1967. 33 items.

Portrait photographs of the Engineer Commissioners of the District of Columbia from the beginning of the office in 1974.



Records of United States Regular Army Mobile Units, 1821-1942.

RG 391

ca. 1776 and 1850-1949. 1,568 items.

Photographs of the fort and Indian dwellings at Fort Wingate, New Mexico Territory, 1866. Photographs of the Southwest, 1879. Photographs of the Philippine Islands, 1896-1906. Photographs of units, officers, and activities of the 67th New York Regiment and the 4th, 10th, 15th, 17th, and 19th Infantry Regiments, 1850-1941; and of the 1st, 2d, 4th, 5th, 6th, 9th, and 10th Cavalry Regiments, 1850-1949. Photographs of Battery "C," 144th Field Artillery, California National Guard, 1939.

Watercolors of artillerymen of the Provincial Company of the New York Infantry, ca. 1776.

Records of United States Army Continental Commands, 1821-1920.

RG 393

1917-19. 125 items.

Photographs of World War I field artillery camps.

Records of United States Army Continental Commands, 1920-42.

RG 394

1917-38. 775 items.

Photographs of buildings and posts in the III Corps area, 1917-29. Photographs made at citizen military training camps in Maryland, 1925, and Virginia, 1933. Photographs of mobilization tests in the VI Corps area, 1933-38. Photographs of activities at Camp Stephen F. Austin, 1936.

Records of United States Army Overseas Operations and Commands,

RG 395

1898-1942.

1918-19. 600 items.

The photographic record and pictorial hisrory of the American Expeditionary Forces in Siberia.

Records of the Adjutant General's Office, 1917- .

RG 407

1918-46. 9,500 items.

Photographs of officers and others in the American Expeditionary Forces, 1918-19, and of military activities in Europe and north Africa, 1925-27.

Photographs and watercolors illustrating the history of certain military units, 1940-46. Nonmapping aerial photographs of areas in the Philippine Islands during World War II and of charts used in instruction in defense against chemical warfare, 1942.



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